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RE: Settlement of U.S. v. Microsoft

I am of the opinion that it is in the best interest of consumers and all involved that this case be settled once and for all.

It is my understanding that the settlement addresses the findings of the court and provides for future operations by Microsoft that will avoid any monopolistic practices. That is good news for all parties.

The bottom line is that enough tax dollars have been spent in this effort and now is the time for our technology companies to return to the marketplace battlefield. That would be the best news for consumers and our economy.

I appreciate your consideration of my views on this matter.

Sincerely,

Craig T. Broussard